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In Re the Application of:

Redmond, et al.

Serial No.: 09/457,104

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LOW PROFILE OPTICAL HEAD For:

Commissioner of Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

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Examiner:

OFFICE OF PETITIONS

PETITION TO WITHDRAW FROM REPRESENTATION (37 CFR 10.40(c))

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS, WASHINGTON, DC 20231 ON October 2, 2000.

SHERIDAN ROSS P.C.

I, an attorney signing below, respectfully request permission to withdraw from all further responsibility in this case, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.36.

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The mailing address of the record assignee of the entire interest is: David E. Steuber, Skjerven, Morrill, MacPherson, Franklin and Friel LLP, Suite 700, 25 Metro Drive, San Jose, CA 95110. In accordance with 37 CFR 10.40(a), a copy of this request is being sent to the correspondence address to the above and MacPherson, Franklin and Friel LLP, Suite 700, 25 Metro Drive,

The basis for the request for withdrawal is 37 CFR 10.40(c) §§(5). That is, it is undersigned's understanding that the assignee knowingly and freely assents to this withdrawal.

The undersigned understand there is no outstanding action in this application record assignee. A copy of the letter to the record assignee is attached. Please change the

Respectfully submitted,

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